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In re Appln. of: William Gross

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
RANKING ITEMS

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Sir:

Attached are:

PTO Transmittal (in dup.); Request for Continued Examination; \$790 Check; Copy of Amendment filed on May 27, 2005; and
 Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

No additional fee is required.
 Small Entity.
 An extension fee in an amount of \$ _____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
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 Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$ _____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
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 The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,


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June 29, 2005

Date